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SUBJECT: GARRISON DIVERSION

1. DURING COURSE OF VISIT BY FSO FREEMAN MATTHEWS (PARTICIPANT FSI SENIOR SEMINAR) ON VARIOUS MEMBERS MANITOBA PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION, REQUEST WAS MADE FOR COPIES GARRISON DIVERSION ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING FOUR COPIES TO PROVIDE TO INTERESTED MPS (AND OF COURSE TO GOC).

2. IN COURSE OF DISCUSSIONS, MPS REPEATEDLY MENTIONED LACK OF BROAD, BALANCED INFORMATION ON GARRISON DIVERSION PROJECT AND CITED OCCASIONALLY "HYSTERICAL" STATEMENTS BY CONSTITUENTS IN MANITOBA REGARDING PROJECT. EMBASSY WOULD THEREFORE APPRECIATE IF DEPARTMENT AND DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR COULD PREPARE BRIEF SUMMARY OF PROJECT CITING CURRENT STATUS OF PROJECT, PROS AND CONS, AND OTHER RELEVANT MATERIAL WHICH COULD BE GIVEN TO PRESS HERE AND IN MANITOBA.

3. EMBASSY ALSO WONDERS IF THE GAO REPORT ENTITLED "RESEARCH AND DEMONSTRATION PROGRAMS TO ACHIEVE WATER QUALITY GOAL: WHAT THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT NEEDS TO DO".

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AND A SEPARATE STATEMENT OF FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION PROGRAMS

IN THE GREAT LAKES WOULD NOT BE AVAILABLE. IF SO, EMBASSY  
WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING COPIES OF BOTH DOCUMENTS.

4. IN VIEW TIMELINESS OF ISSUES, EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE  
ABOVE ASAP.  
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